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TRAVIS IS ELECTED

Wins Representative's Job In Field of Four.

Chas. A. Travis, of Winchester, was elected representative in election held Saturday, his home county, Franklin, going for him strongly. He got 163 votes in this county. Quite a number of republicans in this county, 245 to be exact, threw away their votes in a mistaken idea that John Scheidegger, a republican candidate from Franklin, would be elected.

Luna ran poorest of all, getting only 17 votes, and it is thought his moon was obscured.

Brown also was a poor runner, only getting 25 votes, but doing better than Luna.

It was not much of a day for election, the people preferring to attend to their own business and not lose time helping other men to fame and fortune, as they will have the taxes to pay, anyway on about everything they eat, wear, use, or even dream of using.

From Service In France

Luther Bowlen returned yesterday evening from service with the U.S. Army in France, much to the delight of his relatives and friends. He is looking fine and evidently has had the best of care. He was wounded in one of the battles and has been in hospital. Word was telephoned here yesterday that he was with the Mosier family in Bridgeport, and would be in on the evening train, which served as a surprise to his parents, who were unaware of his coming.

Several Deaths Near Whitwell

Among recent deaths in the Whitwell district reported here are those of Mrs. Geo. Bryson, a highly esteemed lady of the Looeys Creek district, and Grover Condra of near Shirleyton.

To Make Home With Son

Geo. Robbins' mother, who has been living near Knoxville, arrived Tuesday to make her home with him and take care of his children. Since the death of his wife last fall, he has been obliged to stay at home to take care of his family while his two oldest boys made the living.

HE KNOWS WHEREOF HE SPEAKS.

J. F. Harper, 416 Navarro St., San Antonio, Tex., writes: "I consider Foley's Honey and Tar absolutely the best cough remedy on the market. I know whereof I speak, having tried it in my own family. Your remedy acts quickly and relief is permanent. Good for colds, coughs, croup. Contains no opiates. Sold everywhere."

J. S. Deakins was in Jasper Saturday.

GASOLINE
For Motorists
At News Office

Herrin, Ill.

Special to the News.

We are having some fine, warm weather the past week. It is almost like spring-time.

A revival meeting is going on at the Methodist Church this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. O'Neal went to Garrettsville, Ill., Friday to see his father and mother, who are ill with the "flu."

A large number of children around here have the whooping cough.

Mrs. Cecie Baltimore called on her sister, Mrs. Lassie Rogers, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Byrd spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Underwood.

There are lots of idle men here. Several of the mines just ran one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hopper and two children, Nois and Leon, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Farris Pease. They all went car riding to Cartersville, Ill., and back.

We can get plenty of nice lettuce here during the winter, as Larmer & Ridgeway grow it in their hothouses. It sure is fine. Early in the spring they grow tomatoes.

Rosa Rogers and friend took a walk Sunday afternoon.

Bob King has sold out, going to California on account of his wife's health.

Apples are plentiful here. We can get them at 50c a peck off the wagons. They are shipped here in wagons by the car loads. Eggs are very scarce at present. They sell at 80c a dozen. I think a lot of us people ought to go to the farm and raise part of what they eat, and may be eatables would not be as high as they are now. But still we need not look for times to be much better, if any, for the Bible says in the last days there shall be famines and pestilences, wars and rumors of wars. Read the 24th chapter of Matthew. All these things are fulfilling the Scriptures, so it pays us all to watch and pray and be ready for the great judgment day. A Friend.

Rooke.

Special to the News.

Henry Baker, Ernest Young and Floyd Goodsey took dinner with Mrs. Donnie McNabb Sunday.

Panzy O'Neal and Carrie Merciers were out walking Sunday, hunting a fellow, I guess.

Milton McNabb expects to go to work on the river for Bill Houts next week.

Mrs. Anderson called on Mrs. Donnie McNabb Sunday.

Mrs. Donnie McNabb visited Miss Emma Colston Monday.

Ernest Young and Henry Baker were out walking Sunday afternoon.

Doug McNabb visited Melton McNabb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young went to Chattanooga Monday.

S. M. Ransom is moving to Whiteside to reside with his son, Ernest Young. Reader.

Dance at Town Hall

An enjoyable dance was held at the Town Hall Friday night. The hall was engaged by Jasper parties, who did not arrive in full force on account of the rainy night. A big time was had, however, until 12 o'clock by local dancers. Young Bros. string band, of Whitwell, furnished excellent music.

The Strange Man.

I used to know a single man,
The kind some folks abhor,
For he was hard to understand—
He was a bachelor.

He courted much when he was young,
His plight would make you laugh,
For he could never use his tongue,
To win a better half.

He's always sad, he lives alone,
Is lonesome all the while,
He has a house, but not a home,
You never see him smile.

His bill of fare is rather slim—
Sometimes its only bread.
I know that you would smile at him
To see him go to bed.

He quickly turns the cover down,
And then he tumbles in,
And doubles up himself around,
His knees against his chin.

And then himself he whispers to,
Just loud enough to hear:
"Dog on it, this will never do,
I'll have a wife next year."

And so it was thru all his life,
He failed in every plan
He laid with care to win a wife--
He died a single man.

—Contributed.

Betrayed By Alleged Friends

Editor News:

For the express purpose of vindicating myself before the people of Marion County, I write this in answer to the letter of last week in your columns from S. M. Alexander and son, asking the papers of Marion County to correct the mistake that I had made in stating that I was endorsed by the Home Bank. The facts in the case are these:

In selecting my friends, one by one, to hold a consultation and thereby decide whether or not I should make the race, Mr. S. M. Alexander, president of the Home Bank, and Will E. Walker, vice president of the Home Bank were among the select. The others present were John Vaughn, E. L. Collins, Hugh Morton, Dr. J. O. Templeton and Thos. Grisard. Everything, as I saw it, passed by harmoniously, and I was urged to make the race. Instead of a circular letter sent to Marion County to introduce and recommend me that might fall into the hands of my opponents, it was suggested that I take a personal letter of introduction and recommendation from each of the men present. When the time came for me to start to Marion County, I called at several places for my letters, and Mr. Alexander said that he had not had time to write one. So I procured the others, several of which I read to the people of Marion county while I was there, and started out. In the meantime I had sent this list of names, together with some others who had stepped out on our side. I admit that I presumed a little too much when I used the

words "Home Bank", but I anticipated no trouble, and did it innocently, having both President and Vice President with me in the caucus. It has never been my intention to misrepresent anything or anybody, and I hereby offer an apology for merely writing "Home Bank," which was done hastily and unthoughtedly. I feel that I have been unjustly dealt with and that reparations are due.

I feel sure that my defeat is largely due to the letters from said Alexanders, and that while Marion Co. looked on me favorably this letter sounded my death knell. Defeat is all right and I am submissive. Caesar was brave enough to die, but it was awful to die at the hands of his best friend, Brutus.

The election is over and we shall stand still and see Marion get her direct representation.

I thank those who voted for me.

Very truly yours,
J. D. LUNA,
Winchester, Tenn.

28 Years At Old Home

The Harris brothers and sisters, Misses Lou and Jennie, and Messrs. James and Robert moved last week from their old home at Springdale to the property known as the William Owen house in Sequatchie. This property was bought by them sometime ago, but on account of their father's attachment to the old place, they decided to remain there during his lifetime, his death occurring the latter part of September. They had been residents of Springdale for twenty-eight years, the family locating there from East Lake.

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We Want Your Business

Arlington, Texas. Capt. Donaldson Buried At Jasper

Special to the News.

Mr. Editor and loved ones: We have been having rain, snow since October until the last week, when it turned of nice and clear.

My daughter, Emma, her husband, W. E. Howard, and two children took the flu the first day of January. Charlie Bracken went out to nurse them, and took it himself the 5th. My other son-in-law, Robt. Odell, and his wife took it the 7th. So my son, Robert, had to be head nurse, cook, milkmaid and dishwasher for the whole push. He kept it up until the 10th. Sitting up at night and going all day put him out of commission. I finally got one day and one night nurse to take charge and relieve Robert of his strenuous task. All are on the road to recovery. But little work has been done on the farm for two months. I have about one bale of cotton to pick.

As "Lone Star" has got me in a peck of trouble about that meat receipt, I will have to answer all the letters I am getting by giving it thru the News. For 2,000 pounds of meat use 10 lbs sugar, one lb. red pepper, one lb. black pepper, one lb. saltpeter, 20 quarts of salt. Put it all together and mix thoroughly. Rub the skin side with the mixture, then put the meat down on a salting bench or table, one piece in a place and cover with the mixture. Salt it while the meat is warm and it will be bacon in twenty-four hours. One of my neighbors salted his meat one day and it is keeping nicely, but I would not advise anyone to do that. I let mine stay in salt about 30 days.

One of my soldier boys is in Germany and the other is retained to assist in occupying the forts along the Rhine. So they will not be home soon, but are well and having a fine time.

T. S. Bracken.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given those delinquent for road tax, either for labor on road or farm wagon tax, are given to Feb. 1, 1919, to pay for same. If not paid by that date their names will be placed in the hands of the Grand Jury, at February term of Circuit Court, for decision as to what shall be done. Take warning thereby, and save trouble and cost.

J. F. TATE,
Chm, Marion Co. Road Com.
A. L. ROBERTSON,
Secretary
Jasper, Tenn., Jan. 13, 1919.

Miss Ruth Foster of Foster Falls was the very attractive guest of friends in the valley the past two weeks.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Capt. W. E. Donaldson died in Chattanooga Monday, of old age, being 78 years old. His body was brought to Jasper Monday night and interment made at the Hoge graveyard Tuesday.

For many years Capt. Donaldson was a prominent figure in the courts of the state and maintained a splendid practice. He was thoroughly versed in law, knowing well its fine points and intricacies. He was attorney-general for a number of years.

The family is an historic one and were residents of Jasper for long time, finally moving to Chattanooga where Capt. Donaldson resided with a married daughter at whose home he died.

Kindly Custom.

In the west of France a kindly custom still lingers. At harvest time a sheaf of grain is left standing in a certain field bordering the highway, and to this the neighboring peasants contribute. It is called the "stranger's sheaf," and any poor wayfarer who wishes may carry it away and sell it. Farther north there is a pleasant fashion of leaving a similar sheaf for the birds, which might die while the fields are snow covered if it were not for this kind thoughtfulness.—The Ava Maria.

Cattle Strayed

Five cattle estray, marked half undercrop right ear, branded with "H" on right hip, button on upper part of right ear with letter "H." Ran on Kimball point. Reward for recovery.

DR. J. T. GILLIAM,
So. Pittsburg, Tenn.

Mrs. W. A. Chadwick and her granddaughter, Miss Lena Kilgore, of Whitwell, are visiting relatives here.

Plant a bigger garden this year and get ready for Old Pete.

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